

I. O. O. F. LODGES PAY TRIBUTE TO DEAD BROTHERS

Quindaro And Mt. Vernon,
Now One Body, Hold
Memorial Service

JUDGE L. B. HOUCK
DELIVERS ADDRESS

Appeals To Men To Uphold
Boys In Trenches In
Europe

Judge L. B. Houck delivered the memorial address of the Quindaro lodge, No. 316, and the ladies of the Rebekah Degree, I. O. O. F., Sunday afternoon at Quindaro hall.

The program was opened, Judge Houck acting as chairman, with "America," Charles G. Weaver pronounced the invocation, which was followed by a solo by George Spearman.

Mentioning the fact that in Baltimore the 100th anniversary of Odd Fellowship would soon be celebrated, Judge Houck quoted the aim of the organization—relieving the distressed, educating the orphans and burying the dead.

In speaking with reference to the occasion, Judge Houck said: "There is no death. Though life be full of troubles, there is consolation in knowing that there is a new life beyond. Man is like a seed that must give up its present form and decay to produce its fruit; he must change in order that his soul might live on. So man does not die, but according to the common law, must change from his present form to live the new life later on."

"The boys are making the supreme sacrifice in Europe, so let us examine ourselves and find out what is good," said Judge Houck. "The spirit that makes life worth living is the thought of duty and service well performed. We must live right, in our present life, in order to merit the eternal life hereafter."

"We should never forget mother or fail to pay the proper respect to her, but always try to be better in our home life," said Judge Houck in closing, "and be better brothers and sisters to the orders to which we belong."

Following the address, a vocal solo, "Crossing the Bar," was sung by Mrs. Gail Cooksey.

There were five deaths in the two orders of Odd Fellows, which are now one, during the past year. J. T. Rinehart, Edward C. Mahaffey and Thomas Woodhall of Quindaro, No. 316, and John Kennedy and Samuel Crumley of the Mt. Vernon lodge, No. 201.

After singing "Blessed be the Tie That Binds," Quindaro lodge, under Marshal E. L. Bennett, marched to Mount View cemetery to decorate the graves of the 250 brothers and 25 sisters of the lodges who had died.

HARDWARE STORE FOR SALE.
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- 10—Write soldiers.
- 11—Buy war stamps.
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- 13—Cultivate the spirit that wrote the Declaration of Independence.
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RED CROSS

AND WAR CHEST SACRED PARADE IN COLUMBUS WAS GREAT, IMPRESSIVE AND MOST PATRIOTIC.

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2. And the watchers
3. Formed new resolutions
4. To save money, food, clothing
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COURT NEWS

After a period of married life covering 45 years, Mrs. Victoria L. Biggs has filed suit for divorce in the common pleas court against Homer C. Biggs, charging gross neglect and extreme cruelty. Mrs. Biggs says that the only clothing her husband has purchased for her within the last three years consisted of a pair of shoes and a pair of hose. She asks that she be given a divorce and proper relief.

Mr. and Mrs. Biggs were married at Danville on November 23, 1873, the petition states, and are the parents of twin sons, now 31 years of age. Greer & Cromley are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Greer Replies—

A reply to the answer of the defendant has been filed in the common pleas court in the matter of the suit of Eldon P. Greer against Howard Thompson and others. The plaintiff, in his reply, denies the allegations of the defendant's answer. Greer & Cromley are attorneys for Mr. Greer.

Administratrix Named—

Sarah E. Clifton has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Jennie Lybarger by the probate court, giving bond in the sum of \$2,300 with Ida Weir and F. O. Levering as sureties. A. L. Patterson, L. W. Armstrong and Bert White were named appraisers.

Account Filed—

The first and final account of Layrd V. Dugan, administrator of the estate of Matilda Davidson, has been filed in the probate court showing \$846.06 received and expended.

Marriage Licenses—

Harry R. Mills, telegrapher, Clay township, and Ina Hazel Wharton, Howard. Rev. W. H. Shields.

Floyd E. Borden, machinist, and Marcella Catherine Coe, both of Mt. Vernon. Rev. P. C. Anderson.

Real Estate Transfers—

Sylvester Durbin to William Gamble, 22 acres in Union, \$250.

Albert F. Arnolt to Rena G. Blumhagen, parcel in Jefferson, \$1.

Louis Vall to Benton Vall, 104 acres in Wayne, \$3,900.

J. N. Braddock and others, administrators, to John McGugin, 35.11 acres in Morris, \$5,226.50.

W. H. Sellers to Wilson Workman, parcel in Clinton, \$1.

REGISTRATION OF GERMAN FEMALES, ENEMY ALIENS OF THE UNITED STATES

All natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of the German empire or of the imperial German government, being females of the age of 14 years and upwards, who are within the United States and not actually naturalized as American citizens are required to register as German alien enemies by proclamation by the president of the United States. The registration will begin at 6 a. m. Monday morning, June 17, and will continue each day successively with the exception of Sunday, June 23, until 8 p. m. Wednesday, June 26. The place of registration for Knox county is the office of the mayor of the city of Mt. Vernon, which will remain open each day of the registration from 6 a. m. to 8 p. m.

ATTEND MEMORIAL SERVICE

Among the local members of the organization who attended the memorial services of the Second Battalion, First Regiment, U. S. K. of P., at Zanesville Sunday were George Doup, Calvin Hunt, Peter Baker and Clifton G. Hunt.

TO ATTEND SUMMER SCHOOL

The Misses Edith Stimmel, Ruth Nixon and Julia Branyon went to Kent Monday to attend the summer normal training school.

EXPLOITS OF FLEET OF BRITISH SUBMARINES IN THE BALTIC SEA

Little Squadron Long the Terror of German Warships and Transport—Sink Nine in One Day—Three British Craft, Since Self-Destroyed, Attack a Whole Hostile Armada—Entered and Charted Every Harbor on Baltic.

Describing the work of British submarines in the Baltic and their destruction to avoid capture by the Germans, the Petrograd correspondent of the London Morning Post says: "Under all the circumstances it is perhaps rather a marvel that the Germans did not make a glorious capture of nearly every submarine we had in the Baltic. They captured none, and they destroyed none. There is not a German harbor in the Baltic that our submarines have not entered and charted for their own convenience, creeping under mine fields and through channels so shallow as hardly to admit of this hazardous maneuver."

"We never had more than nine submarines in the Baltic, and we still had seven when the end came. One of our boats put down nine enemy transports in a single day. Russia knew and openly admitted last summer that it was the British submarines which held Petrograd intact."

"When Reval went it was obvious that the end was near. The British submarines, still seven in number and all in fighting trim, had by this time moved over to Finland, and ultimately concentrated, with their stores and workshops ashore, and a huge barge for floating mechanics in the harbor of Helsingfors."

Sunk to Check Fo.

"With three or four warring parties jealously eyeing the British ships and stores and the Toovaristehi (comrades) arising their new gospel to the British crews of the submarines on every occasion, and with the absence of law and order in Helsingfors, opportunities for every kind of trouble were plentiful, and extreme tact and firmness were needed to bring things to a successful issue. As a result, not a single ounce of any kind of metal—British property, some of it priceless nowadays here—will ever fall into human hands, either those of the Huns or the White Guards or the Finnish Red Guards, or Russian Toovaristehi. All seven submarines, the repair-shop barge, and every scrap of stores lies safely in minutely disintegrated form at the bottom of the Baltic."

"In charge at Helsingfors was Lieut. Commander Downie. The task of destroying some \$3,000,000 worth of British Government property to save it from the Germans, who had already landed at Hango, was his last and duty. Plans for the private sale of enormously valuable stores of all kinds—metals and composites, electric fittings, etc.—were canceled when it was discovered that arrangements existed whereby all such matters of priceless value to the enemy were to be handed over to the Germans wherever found. It was decided to put British property to the bottom."

"That fraction of the British navy which was under Russian orders in the Baltic consisted of submarines, which I will call (because these were neither their letters nor their numbers) Alpha 2, 10, 11, 20, and 21 and Beta 29, 30, 33, and 36. The Alpha class was fairly large, carrying thirty-odd men. The Beta was an older type, with about half that number."

Attacks German Armada.

"The biggest thing the Germans have done in a naval way in this war was the landing on the islands of Messel and Dago. Certainly the only effective opposition they met at sea came from British vessels, three in number. Of the four Beta boats one was undergoing repairs at the time, leaving three available—29, 30, and 33. These three went into the thick of things and gave the Germans a very unwelcome surprise. Falling on adequate intelligence service, the British submarines took sight for themselves of the oncoming armada of dreadnoughts, cruisers, destroyers, and transports, and plunged into their midst. Everything was against our submarines, but they all came out of it alive, and the enemy did not."

"Captain Sealey, in Beta 30, was of the true British type, the finished article of the British navy. Beta 29 was commanded by Commander Downie, whose record proves him perfectly true to type; but it was his first command."

"The Germans, notwithstanding convenient arrangements made for the maximum of immunity, were mistrustful of the British boats, and the armada moved inside a ring of destroyers and other smaller craft. Sealey, taking a comprehensive glance at their dispositions, dived under five of the destroyers nearest to him, the same tactics being imitated by Commander Downie and by Beta 33. They came up inside the protective ring, to be immediately assailed from aircraft and ships with a rain of missiles—in particular with so-called deep-sea bombs."

"Sealey couched his objective—one of the dreadnoughts—dived and fired two torpedoes at a range probably too short for the run of either torpedo, for the dreadnought escaped. But one of the torpedoes passed on and put down a destroyer on the other side of the encircling ring."

"Sealey then passed practically

under a dreadnought and came up on the other side, still within the encircling ring of destroyers. Turning, he rapidly selected another objective, and then dived to get it. This time he put down a transport carrying hydroplanes—a particularly useful shot, for these hornets, besides bombarding our craft, which were, of course, quite visible at fighting depths under water, also kept the ships informed where deep-sea bombs would best serve the Germans. Sealey damaged a cruiser so badly that he was able to chase her for many hours, but could not overtake her."

"All this time hydroplanes were dropping deep-sea bombs upon all three boats, while every ship was pumping shell and deep-sea bombs in their direction, according to the signals of the hydrocaroline spotters. Whether by good luck or more artful dodging Beta 30 got no more than a few tremendous jerks from these deep-sea bomb explosions. Beta 33, though never actually struck, suffered so terribly from these repeated shocks that she was left helpless, unable to tell anything about herself except that her skin was unperforated. Smashed gauge glasses left her ignorant of her depth, her margin of buoyancy, what power was still available to move or lift, sink or drive her, and she was absolutely blind besides. She simply carried on and finally beached herself and was blown up by her own crew after all her valuable fittings had been removed. Beta 29 had the extremely bad luck to get aground in a tight place and suffered injuries which would be summarized in the case of an ordinary ship as 'in a sinking condition.' Commander Downie, however, stuck to it and got off."

CANADIAN "BULLDOG" RESTING IN KENNEL



The Canadian "bulldog" seems to be a very harmless creature in his "kennel," but when he is let loose on the Germans he lives up to his name.

COOLS OFF IN JAIL

Party by Name of Chill Gets Heated Over War.

August Chill of Pine Bluff, Ark., undertook to chill the efforts of the United States to whip Germany. Now Chill is cooling off in jail, awaiting action of the federal grand jury. Chill, despite his worldly prosperity, remained loyal to the Fatherland, and when the United States entered the war against Germany Chill got busy. He is specifically charged with obstructing the draft, failing to register as an alien enemy and declaring publicly that the Germans would win the war and that within two years Americans would be living under German rule.

POTATO BREAD FORBIDDEN

Shortage of Tubers Results in Change of Swiss Order.

The Swiss military department has rescinded its order to bakers commanding them to use potato flour or potatoes, either raw or boiled, in making bread.

The potato supply is very scarce in Switzerland. While the bakers formerly were commanded to mix potatoes with bread flour, they now are expressly forbidden to use any potatoes in making bread.

Knitting Honors Claimed.

Holding a record of having knitted four dozen sweaters, three dozen helmets, several dozen wristbands, knee-caps, abdomen bands and other necessary articles, Mrs. Amelia Delporte of St. Louis, is believed to be the champion knitter of the country. She has a son serving in the army.

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HOWARD TWP. TO TRIPLE W. S. S. QUOTA, IS BELIEF

Solicitors Bring In 216 Out
Of 242 Cards Charged
To Them

NO COMPLETE FIGURES
UNTIL WEEK ELAPSES

Committee Will Need Ten
People To Classify
Cards

Although in many townships the war savings canvass has been practically completed, in only one or two cases have the cards been turned in, and in no case has an accurate footing been made. At least another week will have elapsed before anything like a careful tabulation of the county as a whole can be made.

As a result, the committee said to inquirers on Saturday that the campaign would not be considered closed until Saturday night, June 22. This will enable loose ends in every township to be gathered in.

Another announcement made by the committee on Saturday is that those who have pledged themselves to buy stamps in June should make the purchases at once and not wait for notification. From 6,000 to 10,000 cards will have to be handled, and it will not be possible to notify each pledger before July 1. Nor will it be possible to send to all the agencies at once a list of all the persons who will buy of them. But this will be done as promptly as possible and each agency should keep a list of the persons who report that they are buying against pledges for June or later months.

So great is the clerical work entailed by the classification of the cards that the committee has asked for the assistance of ten persons in the work. Those who are willing to help are asked to report at the Chamber of Commerce at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

One of the townships where the work has been practically completed is Howard. On Saturday, Squire W. O. McArthur and Ira Humbert brought in 216 out of 242 cards charged to Howard. A rough calculation indicates that the cards show pledges of a little over \$13,000, current value, which is what the committee figures—not the maturity value as some of the canvassers thought. As Howard's quota was \$4,600 and as a number of cards have not yet been turned in, the committee believes that Howard is bound to go into the class of triple quota townships.

Some of the pledges secured in Howard were: A. W. Coglin 200, Charles Beach 200, Alice Slusser 200, Thomas B. Shipley 200, Hattie Baker 120, John Conkle Est. 120, W. S. Fowler 100, Samuel Baker 100, Chas. Conkle 80, A. C. Allen 60, Mary Fessler 40, E. L. Gardner 40, E. C. Durbin 40, J. F. Gardner 40, Mary E. Fawcett

50, Mary C. Newton 40, Linza Horn 40, Alice Critchfield 40, Clyde Swigert 40, W. H. Humbert 40, James Miller 40, Harry Body 40, William Whitmore 40, Cora Middleough 30, H. W. Middleough 30, Harry Staats 24.

The first unit subscription officially reported to the war savings committee in Mt. Vernon was that of the Rev. H. H. Miller, whose card was brought in by Solicitor John A. Cassel. Mr. Miller was willing to buy more stamps and was disappointed to find that 200 was all that the government allowed one person to hold.

E BATTERY TO MOVE SOON, IS INDICATION

Boys Forsake Tents For Railroad Cars; May Go To Another Camp

E Battery, Knox county's first contribution to the United States army, is expecting orders to move from Camp Sheridan at any time, according to word brought back by relatives of the "boys" who have been visiting at Camp Sheridan, Ala.

It is said that the battery has abandoned its tents and is sleeping in railway cars, ready to move whenever the order is received.

CUMMINS ELECTED

Will Head School District No. 2; Comprise Seven Townships

M. C. Cummins of Martinsburg was elected superintendent of school district No. 2 for the coming year at a meeting of the board of education of that district at the township house in Harrison township Saturday afternoon. The position carries a salary of \$1,700.

District No. 2 is composed of Harrison, Howard, Union, Butler, Jackson, Morgan and Pleasant townships and the Brinkhaven, Millwood, Howard and Bladensburg special districts.

DIRIGIBLE BALLOON FROM AKRON PLANT PASSES OVER HERE

A dirigible balloon on a test flight from the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. plant at Akron, in charge of Ralph Upson and Herman Kraft, sailed over this city about 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon on its return trip to Akron from the Dayton flying field where it went Saturday afternoon. Sailing over this city, the dirigible appeared to be about 75 feet in length. A number of people in this city saw the balloon.

PRESENT 'HAMLET' AT KENYON COLLEGE

"Fratricide Punished," or "Hamlet, Prince of Denmark," was staged in Roscoe hall, Gambier, Saturday evening by the senior class of Kenyon college, assisted by a few underclassmen. The acting of several of the men was exceedingly good.

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WILL GIVE RECITAL FOR THE RED CROSS

Miss Neva Simmons will give a recital of dramatic readings in the Fredericktown high school auditorium Thursday evening for the benefit of the Red Cross, according to announcement made Monday.

Miss Simmons is a graduate of the Leland Powers School of Expression, Boston. The Snow orchestra of Danville will furnish the music.

JONES WILL HEAD EXECUTIVE COMM. CO. DRY FEDERATION

The executive committee of the Knox County Dry Federation organized at a meeting in the parlors of the M. E. church Saturday evening by electing Rudolph L. Jones chairman, Rev. J. A. Long, vice chairman, Walter Earlewine secretary and A. A. Dowds treasurer.

MARTIN HARDIN DIES AT HOME IN GAMBIER

Martin VanBuren Hardin, aged 78 years, died at his home in Gambier Sunday night, the result of paralysis, after an illness of three months. He leaves a wife and the following children: Charles, Mrs. Ida Reams, Mrs. Flossie Bennit, Mrs. Fannie Wolfe, Mrs. Anna Parker, Fred Hardin, Mrs. Belle Colter and Roy Hardin. The funeral at the home at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday. Burial in Gambier.

TWO MT. VERNON BOYS IN GRADUATING CLASS OF CINCINNATI COLLEGE

Among those to be graduated from the Cincinnati College of Music are two Mt. Vernon boys, Harold Ahrendt and Walter J. Wood. The commencement of the college is to be held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Ahrendt will receive a diploma as concert violinist, while Wood is to be graduated as a pianist.

TEACHERS LEAVE TO TAKE SUMMER SCHOOL COURSE

The following teachers went to Kent Monday where they will attend the six weeks' teachers' summer training school: Misses Emma Cole, Nellie Snow, Louise Casill, Sarah Wynkoop and Alice Pickard.